CHAPTER 3 OF THE NEW SERIAL!!

KIZNAIVER

KAREGISHI ROJI
ORIGINAL STORY: TRIGGER - OKADA MARI
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UM... NICO'S NAME IS NIYAMA NICO. SUGOMORI HIGH SCHOOL CLASS 2-A.
MAKI HONOKA. SUGOMORI HIGH SCHOOL CLASS 2-A.
YUTA TSUGUHITO. SUGOMORI HIGH SCHOOL CLASS 2-A.
TAKASHIRO CHIDORI. SUGOMORI HIGH SCHOOL CLASS 2-A.
I'M TENGA HAJIME. SUGOMORI HIGH SCHOOL CLASS 2-A.

ARE YOU CERTAIN THAT IS ALL?
ZNNNN
ANYWAY, THAT'S ALL THERE IS TO THAT. THAT WAS SUPER EASY!
THAT SHOULD BE OBVIOUS.
HEY, WHAT A COINCIDENCE! WE'RE ALL IN CLASS 2-A.

HUH?
BZZZZ
OF COURSE! WHAT ELSE IS THERE?

バチッ
CRACKLE
バチッ
CRACKLE
THAT IS IN-CORRECT.
NOW...
CRACKLE
ビビビビビビビビ
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
CRACKLE
HUH?!
カチッ CLICK
SWITCH ON.
HUH?
スッ SWISH
ビリビリビリビリビリビリビリビリ
BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT
YUTA
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BAAAAH
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GYAAAH
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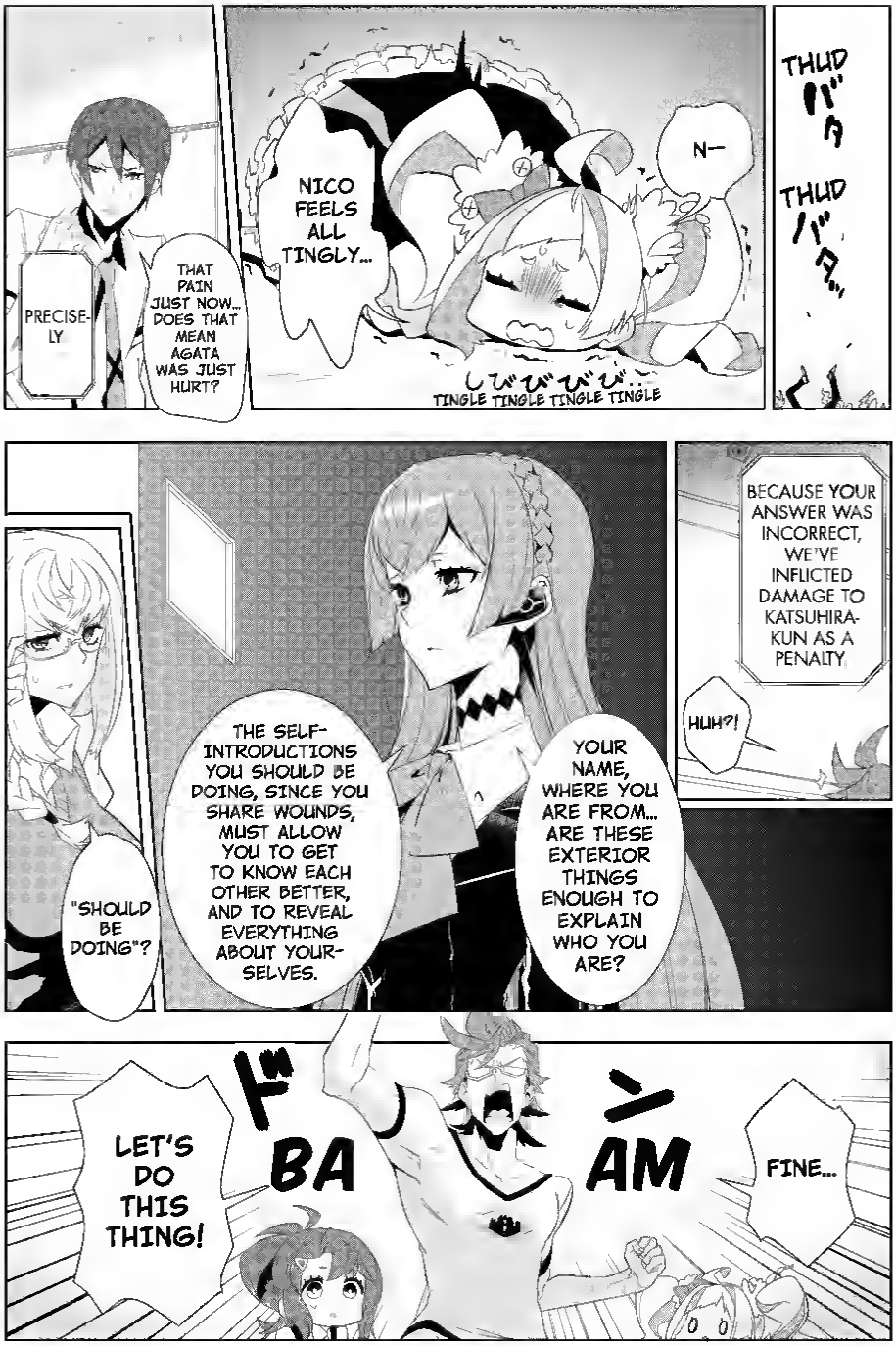
EEEEK
GYAAAH!


THUD
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N—
NICO FEELS ALL TINGLY...
しびびびび...
TINGLE TINGLE TINGLE TINGLE
PRECISE-LY
THAT PAIN JUST NOW... DOES THAT MEAN AGATA WAS JUST HURT?
BECAUSE YOUR ANSWER WAS INCORRECT, WE'VE INFLICTED DAMAGE TO KATSUHIRA-KUN AS A PENALTY.
HUH?!
YOUR NAME, WHERE YOU ARE FROM... ARE THESE EXTERIOR THINGS ENOUGH TO EXPLAIN WHO YOU ARE?
THE SELF-INTRODUCTIONS YOU SHOULD BE DOING, SINCE YOU SHARE WOUNDS, MUST ALLOW YOU TO GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER, AND TO REVEAL EVERYTHING ABOUT YOUR-SELVES.
"SHOULD BE DOING"?
ドン
BAM
LET'S DO THIS THING!
FINE...

BADOW
MY HOBBIES ARE FISHING FOR CRAWFISH AND RAKING GUYS WHO ARE TWISTED OVER THE COALS!
WHOOSH
MY BLOOD TYPE IS O!
WHOOSH
MY BIRTHDAY'S SEPTEMBER 18TH, AND I'M A VIRGO.
CLICK
BZZZZ!
HUH?
HOW'S THAT?!
BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT BZZT
UGYAAAAAAAAAH!!!

YES. WE DECIDED ON WHAT SUBJECTS SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN YOUR SELF-INTRODUCTIONS IN ORDER FOR YOU TO GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER.
YOU MEAN OUR PERSONAL INFORMATION?!
WE HAVE RESEARCHED ALL OF YOU THOROUGHLY
YOU CANNOT TRICK US
WHAT WAS WRONG THAT TIME?
WE WON'T KNOW WHAT THAT IS UNLESS YOU TELL US!
HUH?
U-UM...
HEY!
WOBBLE
WHAT'S THE WORD THAT BEST DESCRIBES YOU?
もにょ
WRIGGLE
PLEASE ASK YOUR-SELVES, DEEP IN YOUR CHESTS.
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WRIGGLE
WHAT DID YOU SAY?!
OW!
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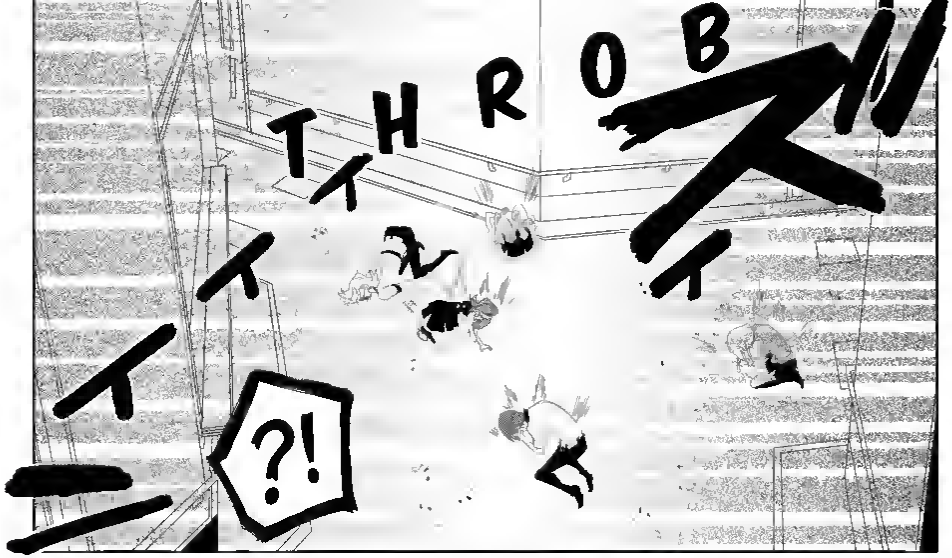
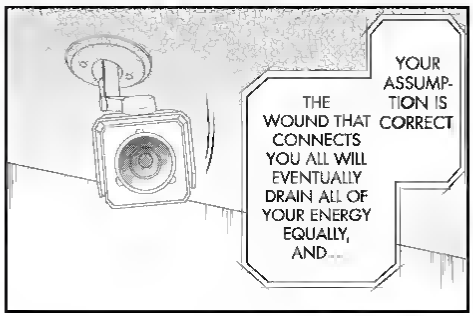
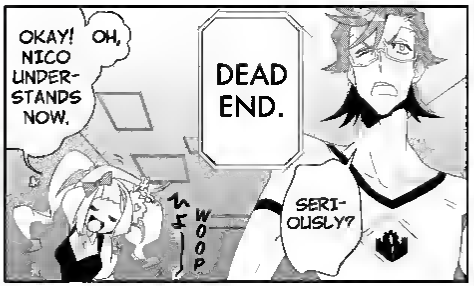
TELLING HER TO ASK HER FLAT CHEST FOR AN ANSWER IS CRUEL!


THROB
?!

WAIT, WHY AM I APOLO-GIZING?!
S-SORRY...
DON'T HIT ME WITHOUT THINKING!


YOUR ASSUMP-TION IS CORRECT
THE WOUND THAT CONNECTS YOU ALL WILL EVENTUALLY DRAIN ALL OF YOUR ENERGY EQUALLY, AND...

MAY I ASK SOME-THING?
IF WE'RE UNABLE TO COME UP WITH THE ANSWERS YOU WANT FROM US, AND AGATA-KUN CONTINUES TO SUSTAIN DAMAGE...


OKAY! NICO UNDER-STANDS NOW.
OH,
DEAD END.
SERI-OUSLY?
WOOP

NOOOOOOO!
いやあああ
WHYYY?!
EEEEEEEK!
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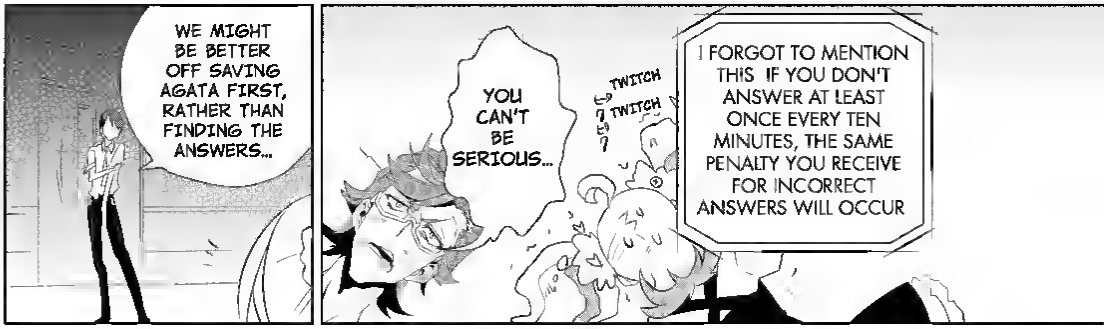
WHISPER
WHISPER
IN CASES LIKE THESE, IF WE JUST DRAG IT OUT WITHOUT SAYING ANYTHING...
I GET IT!
CLICK


WE MIGHT BE BETTER OFF SAVING AGATA FIRST, RATHER THAN FINDING THE ANSWERS...
YOU CAN'T BE SERIOUS...
TWITCH
TWITCH
I FORGOT TO MENTION THIS IF YOU DON'T ANSWER AT LEAST ONCE EVERY TEN MINUTES, THE SAME PENALTY YOU RECEIVE FOR INCORRECT ANSWERS WILL OCCUR

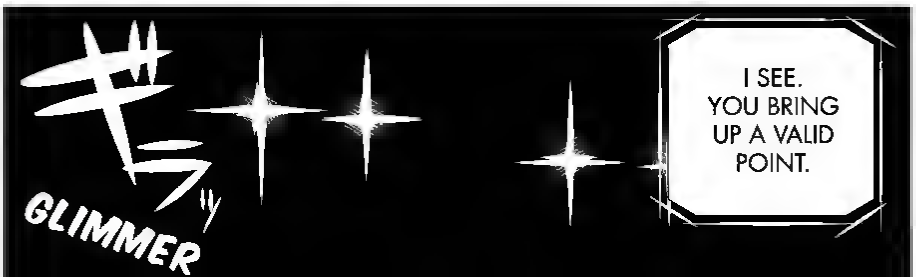
...
I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WERE SO NICE, YUTA-KUN.
HUH?
WOW...
...IF WE'RE GOING TO CONTINUE SUSTAINING DAMAGE WHILE AGATA'S BEING HELD SOME-WHERE...
AND I'M SURE AGATA'S LONELY, TOO!

SLAP
はいっ
WHAT THE HECK? YOU'RE ACTUALLY A DECENT GU—
TURN
SORRY, BUT COULD YOU NOT CAUSE A RUCKUS WHILE WE'RE STUCK IN HERE?
I'D RATHER NOT GET HURT ANYMORE.
GRRR...
TCH...
WELL...
NOW THAT THAT'S DECIDED, LET'S GO BACK TO THE ROOM AGATA'S IN—
HUH...?
RATTLE
RATTLE
RATTLE
RATTLE
ガラガラガラガラ
...?
HUH ?!
OH?
RATTLE
RATTLE
RATTLE
RATTLE
ガラガラガラガラ

CRASH
ガシャーン
HUUUH?!
CRASH
ガシャーン

I THOUGHT IT'D BE MORE ENTERTAINING IF THERE WERE SOME OBSTACLES.
YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO'D BE ENTERTAINED BY THIS.
TREMBLE
ふるふるな
TREMBLE
ST...

WE'RE ALL GETTING HURT JUST FINE.
B-BUT...
STOP MESSING WITH US!
IT'S JUST LIKE YUTA-KUN SAID!
IT'S NOT RIGHT THAT KACCHON IS THE ONLY ONE GETTING HURT!


キラッ
GLIMMER
I SEE. YOU BRING UP A VALID POINT.

CRASH
THEN, LET'S HAVE ALL OF YOU EQUALLY RECEIVE SOME DAMAGE.
STEP
ズン
AAAAAAH!
KER-
THUMP
EEK!
HUH?
BARK
BARK
GRRR
FWOOSH
NO!
AIYEEEE!
CLANK CLANK CLANK
BAM
BAM
SAVE ME! OPEN THE DOOR!
TENGA-KUN?!

SHAKE
ガタ
SHAKE
ガタ
SHAKE
ガタ
NO... I'M...
RUFF
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R
HIM SCARED...
OF DOOGS!!
ピンポ
DONG
HUH?
DING
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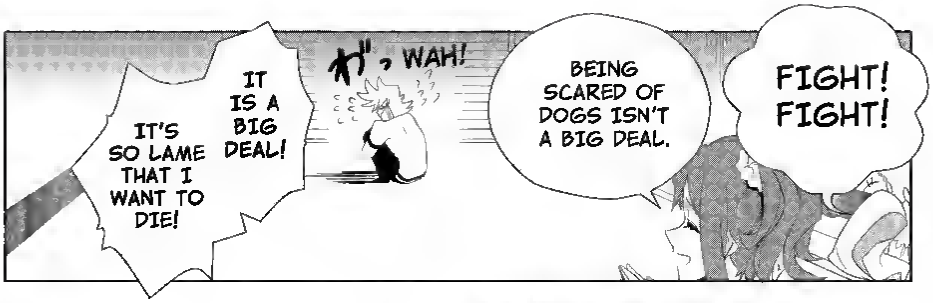
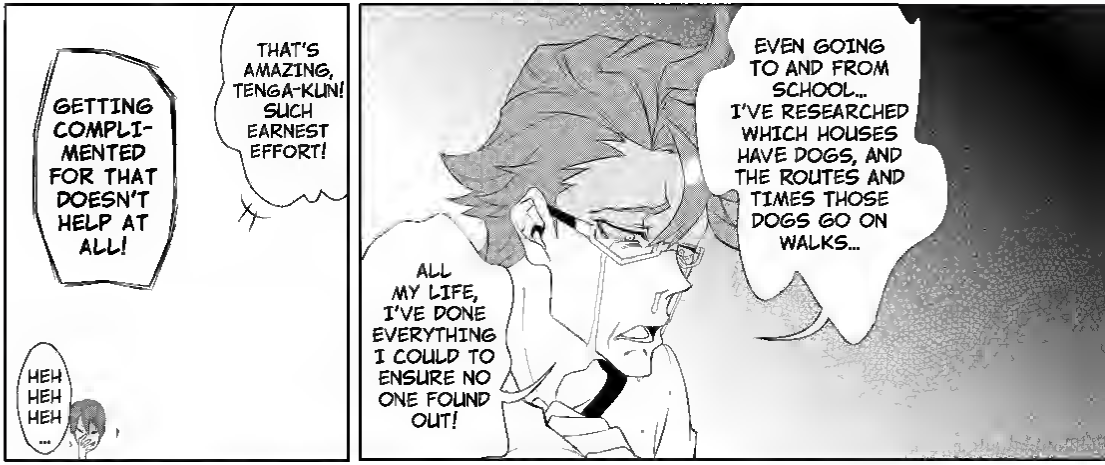
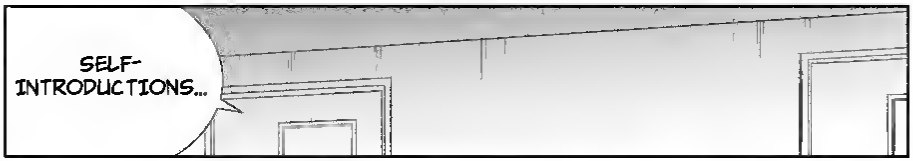
THAT WAS CORRECT?
CONGRATULATION
TH...
LICK LICK
DOES THAT MEAN
THE FACT THAT HE'S SCARED OF DOGS WAS HIS SELF-INTRODUCTION?
THAT IS CORRECT.
WHINE
WHINE
HE'S ACTUALLY TERRIFIED OF DOGS.
I DIDN'T WANT ANYONE TO KNOW...
TENGA-KUN IS KNOWN AROUND THE NEIGHBOR-HOOD AS "MAD DOG." BUT, AS IT TURNS OUT...


FIGHT! FIGHT!
BEING SCARED OF DOGS ISN'T A BIG DEAL.
ガ, WAH!
IT IS A BIG DEAL!
IT'S SO LAME THAT I WANT TO DIE!


EVEN GOING TO AND FROM SCHOOL... I'VE RESEARCHED WHICH HOUSES HAVE DOGS, AND THE ROUTES AND TIMES THOSE DOGS GO ON WALKS...
ALL MY LIFE, I'VE DONE EVERYTHING I COULD TO ENSURE NO ONE FOUND OUT!
THAT'S AMAZING, TENGA-KUN! SUCH EARNEST EFFORT!
GETTING COMPLI-MENTED FOR THAT DOESN'T HELP AT ALL!
HEH HEH HEH...


SELF-INTRODUCTIONS...

TO REVEAL OUR-SELVES...
DOES THAT MEAN WE'RE SUPPOSED TO TELL THE ONE SECRET WE DON'T WANT ANYONE FINDING OUT ABOUT?
DING
THAT IS CORRECT.
DONG
I BELIEVE IT WOULD BE MORE ACCURATE TO CALL IT "THE MOST DIFFICULT THING TO SAY."

HONEST TALK IS AN IMPORTANT STEP TOWARDS FRIENDSHIP.
HONEST TALK?!
WE'VE BARELY EVEN TALKED TO EACH OTHER BEFORE! WE'RE SKIPPING, LIKE, FIVE OR SIX STEPS!
TEN
SINCE YOU'RE ALL KIZNAIVERS, YOU'VE ALREADY SKIPPED ABOUT A HUNDRED, ACTUALLY.

THAT DOESN'T JUSTIFY THOSE HUGE DOGS! ARE YOU TRYING TO KILL US?!
NO.
THEY WERE ALREADY HERE FOR A DIFFERENT PURPOSE.

BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
BEEP
WHAT COMES NEXT IS...
AFTER CONFIRMING THAT NO ONE ELSE IS THERE.
?

WHAT?! EVERYONE'S GOING TO BE DEMOLISHED?!